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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas J. Chambers *et al.* Art Unit: 1645  
Serial No.: 09/121,587 Examiner: R. Zeman  
Filed: July 23, 1998  
Title: Chimeric Flavivirus Vaccines

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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REPLY TO COMMUNICATION FROM EXAMINER

In reply to the Communication from the Examiner that was mailed in the above-captioned case on January 23, 2001, applicants elect the species of Japanese Encephalitis virus, within group I, claims 1-16, which was elected in a Reply to a Restriction Requirement that was filed in this case on November 20, 2000.

Enclosed is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the Communication for two months, to and including April 23, 2001, as well as a check in payment of the required extension fee.

Although no additional fees are believed to be due, if there are any other charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

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